



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Mutsumi KIMURA

Group Art Unit: 2826

Application No.: 10/615,014

Examiner: A. SEFER

Filed: July 9, 2003

Docket No.: 116029

For: THIN-FILM TRANSISTOR, SWITCHING CIRCUIT, ACTIVE ELEMENT  
SUBSTRATE, ELECTRO-OPTICAL DEVICE, ELECTRONIC APPARATUS,  
THERMAL HEAD, DROPLET EJECTING HEAD, PRINTER, AND THIN-FILM-  
TRANSISTOR DRIVING AND LIGHT EMITTING DISPLAY DEVICE

**AMENDMENT FILED WITH RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In reply to the May 5, 2006 Office Action and August 1, 2006 personal interview with  
Examiner Sefer, and after entry of the attached Request for Continued Examination (RCE),  
please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**